availability of technology, raw materials, international marketing situation etc. Indian Patent Act, 1970 allows for process patent only for pharmaceuticals and a change over to product patent regime would provide both opportunities and challanges.

Overcharging of prices of Insulin

7448. SHRI SUDHIR RANJAN MAJUMDAR: Will the MINISTER OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that prices of Insulin are being overcharged by M/s. Boots and others under DPCO, 1987 and 1995 and if so, the full details;

(b) whether it is a fact that notices of DPEA recovery in respect of Ibuprofen have not been served on Boots although there has been difference between the price allowed in the formulations and the notified price;

(c) the facts regarding price notified for the bulk drug and the price allowed in the formulations datewise under DPCO, 1979 quantity purchased from the outside sources and what is the amount due from them;

(d) whether it is a fact that Coldarin is being treated as a price decontrolled formulation, if so, on what ground; and

(e) the names of other formulations of the company being treated as price decontrolled by the company?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) No instance of overcharging in respect of Insulin formulations has come to the notice. Insulin formulations manufacturered by Boots Pharma is being marketed under generic name by the Company. Accordingly, these formulations were outside price control under DPCO 87 under DPCO 95 no price has been fixed for these formulations.

(b) and (c) The information would be collected and laid on the Table of the House.

(d) As per information available, Coldarin was being treated as price controlled formulation by Boots under DPCO 87. Under DPCO 95, this is outside price control.

(e) the names of the formulations manufactured by Boots and which had been indicated as outside price control by the Company in the price list of April 94, is given in the statement enclosed.

Statement

Names of formulations manufactured by Boots Pharma outside price control as per price list 1994.

1.	B.A.L. Inj.	2 ml	
2.	Cremaffin liquid	200 ml	
3.	-do- containg phenolphthalein	200 ml	
4.	Mustine Hcl	10 mg	
5.	Nausidome Tabs	10's	
6.	-do- suspension	30 ml	
7.	Froben	10's	
8.	Prothiaden	25 mg	10's
9.	-do-	75 mg	10's
10.	Asilone Tabs		4's

11.	Burnol cream	12 mgm
12.	Cherana cough loz	8's
13.	Fenox nasal drops	10 ml
14.	Saccharin Tabs	500's
15.	Strepsils lozanges	10's & 2's
16.	Mylol mosquito repellent	55 ml

गैस पर आधारित यूरिया संयंत्र

7449. **श्री गोपाल सिंह जी० सोलंकी:** क्या रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या देश के विभिन्न स्थानों पर गैस पर आधारित यूरिया संयंत्रों की स्थापना की गयी है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो प्रत्येक राज्य और संघ क्षेत्र में गैर-सरकारी और सरकारी क्षेत्रों में ऐसे संयंत्रों की स्थापना कहां-कहां की गयी है;

(ग) क्या सरकार गुजरात में भी ऐसे संयंत्रों की स्थापना करने का विचार रखती है;

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(ङ) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं?

रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री एडुआर्डो फेलेरियो): (क) जी, हां।

(ख) अपेक्षित ब्यौरे इस उत्तर के साथ संलग्न विवरण में दिए गए हैं (नीचे देखिये)

(ग) से (ङ) इस समय, प्राकृतिक गैस की उपलब्धता में बाधाओं के कारण गुजरात में गैस पर आधारित यूरिया संयंत्र की स्थापना करने का कोई प्रस्ताव नहीं है।

विवरण

क्षेत्र-वार, राज्य-वार गैस पर आधारित यूरिया संयंत्रों का स्थान

संयंत्र	स्थान / राज्य
सार्वजनिक क्षेत्र	
एम एफ एलः विजयपुर	विजयपुर (गूना), मध्य प्रदेश
एच एफ सीः नामरूप-।।	नामरूप,—आसाम
एच एफ सीः नामरूप-।।।	
आर सी एफः ट्राम्बे-।	ट्राम्बे, महाराष्ट्र
आर सी एफः ट्राम्बे-।/	थाल-
आर सी एफः थाल,	वैशेट, महाराष्ट्र
सहकारी क्षेत्रः	
इफको : कलोल	कलोल, गुजरात
इफको : आंवला	आंवला, उत्तर प्रदेश
कृभको : हजीरा	हजीरा, गुजरात